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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: **FOURNEL et al.**

Appln. No.: **10/537,679**

Filed: **December 16, 2005**

For: **METHOD OF PRODUCING A COMPLEX  
STRUCTURE BY ASSEMBLING  
STRESSED STRUCTURES**

Examiner: **Aftergut, Jeff H.**

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**TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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Sir:

**Attached is/are:**

- ☒ (1) Transmittal; (2) Petition and Fee for Extension of Time; and (3) Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

**Fee calculation:**

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☒ An extension fee in an amount of \$1,110.00 for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 CFR § 1.17(\_\_\_\_\_).
- ☒ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	OR	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	36	Minus	35	1	x \$26=			x \$52=	52.00
Indep.	3	Minus	3	0	x 110=			x \$220=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$195=			+ \$390=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$52.00

**Fee payment:**

- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$1,110.00 for 3-month extension of time.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$52.00 for extra-claim fee.
- ☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

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